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## AMENDMENT AND ELECTION

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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office communications of 11/10/2004 and 02/15/2005 in the above application.

Claims 10, 11, and 20 are in the case, claims 18, 20, 23, and 27-30 have been withdrawn without prejudice in response to a requirement for restriction, and claims 31-35 canceled without prejudice.

Please amend the above cited application as follows: